Summary of Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy Actions in Response to the United States Environmental Protection Agency Emergency Administrative Order Updated: 10/27/2020

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Emergency Administrative Order contains 15 overall items to be addressed by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE). This update includes status only on items for which progress was made in the last week. It is anticipated that the next update to this summary will be provided on Wednesday, November 4, 2020.

Paragraph 60 d.: Technical, Managerial, and Financial (TMF) Capacity

On October 23, 2020, EGLE sent a response to the city of Flint's (Flint) update on their TMF report. While EGLE supports the approach and appreciates the progress in improving the water supply, there are some recommendations outlined for Flint to further its development.
 Implementing Standard Operating Procedures, backfilling vacancies, and exploring all possibilities for sustaining their water fund are important components to ensure self-sufficiency.